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GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1910.

# PROSPECTS

#### Opinions of Prominent Business Men

Dr. William Rose, Mayor of Gleichen, writes—"Never in the his-tery of Gleichen did the prespects look as bright as they do for the com-ing year, 1911. The reason is not far to seek—The long distance tele-phone has been installed, and the local phone will seen be in operation. Home has been matured, and uncert pinned as seen in about a finding surrendered recently will be pet on the market for sale shortly, this means an influx of settlers who will do most ut their purchasing here. Gas is being vigorously bored for, and we have it on the authority of Mr. Dingman that Gleienen may be assured have it on the authority of Mr. Dingman that Gleienen may be assured of ge for local communities in June, and if found in sufficient cuttilly it would be pipel to Calazy. Gleichen will inaturally derive the lene-fits of the work neering from this. We have been promised by the C.P.R. a new railway station, and a park has been in course of con-struction for a few years past. The twon itself will further imprace the Fads by extensive grading and building additional oldewalks. With the installation of the waterworks and zewenge system and a Town Holl, all that is needed to make this the most envired town in Alberta is a need crop, and we are assured by the farmers that the indications for this are good.

Messrs. Barclay & Hall, General Doalers, states-"We have much Mestri. Emicary & Hall, General Daslers, states—"We have much pleasure in responding to a call from the Elitor of this paper, and in ansecr to his inquiries as to our basiness in the past and our views of the future, we can assum df say that we are more than satisfied with the increase our business has shown from month to month, and being backet increase our dumines are shown from mount to month, and templacies up as we are with a district second to mose in any Province of the De-quinion, we have great hopes for the further extension of our business Wigh the signs that are mainfesting themselves on all sides we have reached to believe that dielether's growth will outstrip even our assigning to be the side of the sides of the contraction of the sides of the s With our best wishes to The Call and the Greic t for a prosper sus and Happy New Year.

J. H. Riller, blacksmith, says—"During the past twelve months my Diff. (Black, blacks) and building plant were monitor by lardness has lead intereasing by leap and bounds, until it is now nearly out not that of last year, I am intending to make extensive addition to my excludible adding the coming gering, as I think that Olasieno is now on the way to very rapid growth. There may be better towns, but I don't know of them; mayous my 'bt'' goes is going on Giedelen all

Mesers, G. Soure & Sons, Implement agents, state—"That, notwhiteranding the partial falline of crops this year-owing to-drought, thereline not been any noticeable falling off in the demand for fram implements, and with present initiations the coming year promises to tax our
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Mr. Ealer Rossens said. "I have been the country now nearly two years and am beginning to consider myself an old timer; but budness is growing better everytay, and I am more than optimistic for Gleichen's future."

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Mrs. S. M. Dickenson arrived home Saturday from the east, after spen ting a lengthy holiday with her relatives and friends. The trip seems to have benefited her very

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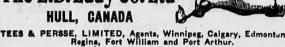
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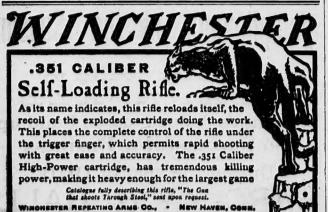
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#### DEW'S CAREER.

Crippen's Captor Retires After Twenty-Five Years on the Force.

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A London despatch says: As we already been made public, Chief Inspector Dew, the man who raced across the ocean to capture Crippen, the principal detective figure in the important criminal cases in the law important case in the law important case in the law important case. The law important case in the law important case in the law important case in the law important case.

Chief Inspector Dew is only forty-seven years old. He was barely nine-teen when he joined the Metropolitan Police Force, where he won early promotion.

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He was one of the detectives investigating the series of Jack the Ripper crimes, and it was for his energy in this work that he was given the rank of detective sergeant. He rose rapidly, and became inspector at Bow street, which led to his gaining the post of chief inspector four years ago in succession to Mr. Froest.

His career has been one long, adventurous criminal hunt, and it is noteworthy that though he had to deal with many dangerous men he never carried a revolver until the hunt after Crippen, and has only used handcuffs about three times.

Among the people he arrested recently are:—

Miss Robinson and Miss Hamilton, witnesses in the Druce case.

"Harry the Valet," the expert jewel thief, who stole \$100,000 worth of jewels from the Duchess of Sutherland.

Conrad Harms, the bank swindler Dr. Crippen.

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Corrad Harms, the bank swindler Dr. Crippen.

These are only the more striking cases, but there have been hundredof minor arrests, and latterly Mr Dew, entrusted with some special inquiries for the War Office, with regard to stolen cartridges, ran the thief to earth.

thief to earth.
All the important investigation-came his way; he frequently had to leave for the continent at a moment's

leave for the continent at a moment's notice to secure the arrest of some international swindler.

He has often said that, while it is imagined that detection of crime is now made easier by the use of telegrams and improved locomotion, the truth is that the work is far more difficult to-day.

Criminals are better educated than they used to be, the means of escape are much easier, and there are somany ways by which a wanted man may cover up his tracks.

Formerly it was only necessary to scour a country for a criminal—to-day the detective must search the worlj

Ireland England's Pantry.

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A recent report of the Department of Agriculture and Technical tion of Ireland make a showing of the increasing waterist importance of that country to the Brit ish Empire.

It appears that Ireland rapidly is becoming the granary of the United Kingdom. During 1909 Ireland shipped more cattle into the mainland than all other countries combined. Irish farmers sold their customeracross the United Kingdom \$17,641,602 worth of butter and \$15,933,548 worth of eggs. Poultry to the value of \$4,171,933 and bacon and hams to the aggregate of \$16,870,730 went to swell the trade account.

When England discovers that her people must depend on Ireland for the bread they eat, the grievances of the island will acquire more than political importance.

#### Experienced Walter

Experienced Walter

At the first meal on board the ocean liner, Smythe was beginning to feel like casting his bread upon the waters. His friends had told him that when he began to feel that way he should stuff himself. He tackled a cuttlet first but it didn't taste right. He observed to the waiter: "Walier, the observed to the waiter: "Walier, the observed to the waiter of the sould stuff himself. He tackled a cuttlet first but it didn't taste right. He observed to the waiter: "Walier, the observed to the waiter: "Walier, the observed to the waiter." The waiter loked at his whitening face, then said: "Tes, sir, but for the length of time you'll seve hit hit won't matter, sir.—Lippincot's.

Local Color

"James," said his mother, as she came into the room where the boy sat reading, "why have you to dose turkey feathers sticking up on your head?"

James lifted his earnest face, which, with its red fiannel hatband stuck full of turkey quills boked almost ferocious, and answered "I'm reading Cooper, mother, and it helps." Judge.

A Boon for the Bilious.—The liver is a very sensitive organ and easily deranged. When this occurs there is undue secretion of bile and the aerid liquid flows into the stomach assours it. It is a most distressing all ment, and many are prone to it. In the proper parations.

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A certain business man of Rochester is of the opinion that he has an exceedingly bright office boy, and nothing pleases him better than to leth how he acquired the youngater's services. A notice had been posted in the man's shop window, which read as follows: "Boy wanted about four medicine in the entire list of pill preparations.

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### CAUSE AND CURE OF RHEUMATISM

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#### LONGBOAT STILL FIRST.

Onondaga Runner Has Never Been Surpassed by Any Indian.

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Since the advent of Tom Longboat
Canada has produced many Indian
runners, but there was only one Longboat.

Big Chief was the king-pin of them
all, but up to date none of them has
shown anything that is likely to shake
the Onondaga off his pedestal as the
greatest Indian runner of the age,
says Lou E. Marsh, who was one of
the discoverers of the Indian.

Since 1907 and 1908, when Longboat
was in the zenith of his running career, several hundred rel men have
pounded the reads in short pants and
jessys, and while some of them have
turned out to be runners of the first
class none of them has approached
Longboat's records over the same
course. Take Levi Jamieson and Jimmie George, the two best Indian runners of the year, for instance.

Jimmie George won the Hamilton
Herald race in 1909 and 1910 and the
Ward Marathon in 1910, but in every
instance his time was four or five
minutes outside of Longboat's best
time over the same course. That
means that had Longboat been in
either event he would have led George
home by it.—a half a mile to mile.

Levi Jamieson sprang into fame
when he von the Foster Marathon at
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when he won the Foster Marathon at Toronto.

As a matter of fact, the most dangerous rival Tom Longboat ever had tor his honors was Acoose, the Western Indian. 1. e Salteaux Indian beat Longboat la: winter at Toronto, when the latter was choked up with a cold and away out of shape. Acoose was credited with world's record time for fifteen miles, but the records were discredited, but just the same the Western aborigine is some runner. He would have been a top notcher, too, had anybody with common sense taken hold of him. The Indian had bad feet, and those behind him knew no more about attending to his feet than a baby hippopotamus does abont the nebular hypothesis. In New York, with his feet ripped all to piece. Acoose at sixteen miles, tore off the finest and longest sustained sprint I ever say in a long distance race. He sprinted for eignt laps and gained three-quarters of a lap on such men as Lijungstrom, the Swede, and Meadows, the Canuck. Then his bad feet killed him off. Acoose had the style, build, and courage of a world-beater, and a good handler would have worked his feet into shape.

Jamieson is the most likely-looking of the 1910 brignde of redskin runners. George is the better distance man, but Jamieson is the most likely-looking of the 1910 brignde of redskin runners. George is a shuffler—an easy-gaited distance man—while Jamieson will improve. Jamieson will be a grand 5 and 10 miler next year.

Joe Keeper, a Winnipeg Indian, ran third in the five-mile race at the Canadian championships at Montreal and may improve, but he is no Longboat.

Allen Hawk, the Christian Island Indian, might do something with expert handling; but none of the other Indians around Ontario have shown much this summer.

In The Halifax Herald and Mail race of ten miles Thanksgiving Day, eight Indians started and the red men ran one, two, and class in the bunch was the winner, a Micmac Indian from Prince Edward Island, who ran the ten miles in 57.20.

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### The Past Christmas

(Contributed)

Our readers may think us tardy with our Christmas greetings, yet they are none the less cordial on this account. You know Christmas lasts until New year's, so we come to you holding on to Christmas with one hand and reaching out to the New Year with the other.

This is a season of good cheer. The season of the holly and the mistletoe—the time for bright faces and generous impulses—for gladsome greetings-a time for noble resolves to be born-a time for old animosi ties to die-a time when the benevolent side of one's nature should be turned towards home, -a time when the ursurping chains of business should be ignored. A time when the child with its golden curls, the man with the silvered locks, alike cry "Glory to God in the highest, peace on earth, good will to men." These words have been chanted by all Christins nations since the infant Jesus slept in the rude manger in Bethlehem. The organs in grand cathedrals have pealed forth these words and the hearts of the worshipers have been filled with adoration; those treading the flowerless paths of poverty echo the praises. The poor mother in the hovel as she bends over the smouldering embers upon the desolate hearth, and weeps over the empty stockings of her neglected children-even she hears these strains in the distance, and her voice so full of want, joins in the chrous, "Glory to God in the highest." Perhaps his mother is thinking of the Christmas days in her girlhood when plenty crowned the board, and these memories may be feeding her hungry heart. Theologians may cavel over the date and origin of this day, but we will hold fast to our Christmas.

This year it was a "Morry Christmas" all around. Fat turkey. with the usual sundries, furnished the inner man delight, the social was given play in many ways, and in fact the day was a happy anniversary. Anything like a full account of the social happenings of the day and evening cannot be given. Time and space forbids; but never was the day more universally observed in our city.

As we are about to let go of the old year we realize that to most BEST WATER IN TOWN of us it has been a kind year, -to a few the dark side has been to to others, the sunny side. We must not forget that upon the house of some of our readers, since last Christmas tide, a sharlow has fallen and the mantle of sorrow has rapped the immates in its somber folds. Other homes are like the empty nests that hang on the withered bough-deso late because the life and song went out with the birds. New homes have been made-new ties formed and old ones severed, but in our onward march it is not well to stop to measure the load each one carries. No life is either all sunshine or all storm. If the new year brings prosperity, let us rejoice; if adversity, let us be brave. Let us be thankful that "our lines have fallen in plasant places;" that "it is as well with us as it is," and use our outmost endeavors to make this a happy year. Let us quickly turn over the sad page and look at the bright picture that awaits us; let us quickly pentrate any cloud that may float o'er our pathway and view at length the beautiful silver linking beyond.

### The Flight of Time

The old year will soon have passed into history. We part with it as with an old friend. To some it has brought much joy-to others sorrow. Yet we are reluctant to say farewell. Like a palsied man it totters as it nears the end of life's journey and goes forward towards that Gill, I vast vault wherein doth lie the forms of dead dynasties and sheeted centuries swept by the remorsoless hand of time to that great graveyard at quirement in the entrance of which rises the imaginary tombstone upon which is inscribed these words: THE PAST. There is a sublime solemnity in the slowly moving, yet never varying, tide of years. Man has marked the ished on application.

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Avoid past errors and mistakes.
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Rebuke wrong, turn from sin, cling to the good.
If you stumble, get up; if you fall don't give up.
Attempt something, have a pur-

Attempt something, have a pur-pose preserve words often, harsh-ones very seldom.

If you blunder, let it be on the side of right rather than wrong. Don't drown yourself in doubt, but buoy up your life with negood natured abroad, and you'll live long natured abroad, and you'll live long

to enjoy it.

Be cautious in judging, great in forbearing, accuse little, forgive

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to work on."
He dug down into his pockets and fished up some "Canadian money, which he counted.
"I find I have only a dollar and eighty cents. That last bottle of beer has wrecked me. What do you suggest?"

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Here the Man and the Woman fail,
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## The Lure of the Mask

By HAROLD MAC GRATH

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CHAPTER X.

"It is not hell sign of the carabineri. "It is not hell sign of the carabineri. "It is so the sign of the carabineri. "It is the master, and not the servant. This is Signor Hillar, is it to the continued addressing himself." not?" he continued, addressing himself to Hillard, "The signor has a servant by the name of Giovanni?"
"Yes, And what has he done to war-rant this visit?"
"It is a matter of seven years," an-

swered the spokesman, "Your serv-ant attempted to kill an officer in Rome. Luigi here, who was then in-terested in the case in Rome, thought he recognized Giovanni in the street today, Inquiries led us here." "At any rate, it looks as though Glo-

vanni had been forewarned of your visit," answered Hillard, "And may I ask what is the name of the officer Glovanni attempted to kill?"

"It is not necessary that you should Hillard accented the rebuke with he-

coming grace.
"And now, signor," with the utmost "And now, signor, with the utmost courtest, "permit us to apologize for this intrusion. We shall wait in the hall, and if we find Glovanni we shall gladly notify you of the event." "Hello! What's this?" exclaimed Hil-

lard, going to the table when the of-ficers had gone. It was a note ad-dressed to him:

My Kind Master—The carabinieri are after me. But rest easy, 'I was not born to rot in a dungeon. I am going north. As for my clothes, send them to Ulacamo, the baker, who lives on the road to El Deserta. He will understand. May the Holy Mother guard you should we never meet again!

Hillard passed the note to Merrihew. "That's too bad. I've taken a great fancy to him. It seems that the peasrancy to him. It seems that the peas-ant has no chance on this side of the water. His child a painted dancer in Paris and a price on his own head! It's hard luck. And the fellow who waused all this trouble goes free."

"He always goes free, Dan, here or ewhere."
'Why, we'd have lynched him in

"That's possible. We are such an impulsive race." ironically. "Yes, no doubt we'd have lynched him, and these foreigners would have added another ounce of fact to their belief that we are still barbarians."

"I badn't thought of that," Merrihew

admitted.

Merrihew became impatient.

"Now out with it. Where and how did you learn that Kitty is in Venice?" Hillard told him briefly. "And so they are all in Venice, broke? By George, here's our chance—

everlasting gratitude and all that! We'll bail 'em out and ship 'em home! How is that for a bright idea?" "Let me see," said Hillard practical-

y. "There are five of them-five hun-ired for tickets and doubtless five hundred more for unpaid hotel bills. It would never do, Dan, unless we wish to go home with them.

But I haven't touched my letter of

"Not with the brand of cigars you

are smoking, 30 cents each."
"No; we can't ball them out, but we can ease up their bills till money can ease up their bills till money comes from home. Not one of them by this time will have a watch. O'Mally will remain sober from dire necessity. Poor Kitty Killigrewi All the won-derful shops and not a stiver in her

Merrihew paced the floor for some schemes, He stopped in the middle of the room with an abruptness which portended something.
"I have it. Instead of going directly

to Venice, we'll change the route and go to Monte Carlo. I'll risk my four hundred, and if I win"—

house wedding and pictures in the New York papers. Dan, you are im-possible. You have gambled enough possible. You have gambled enough to know that when you are careless of results you win, but never when you need the cash. But it is Monte Carlo if you say so. Two or three days there will cure you of your beautiful dream. After all," with a second thought, "it's a good cause, and it might be just your luck to win. The masquerading lady! Monte Carlo it

Merrihew danced a jig. Hillard stepped to the mirror and bowed pro-

stepped to the mirror and bowed pro-foundly. The jig ceased,
"Madame, permit me, a comparative stranger, to offer you passage money home. We won it at Monte Carlo. It is yours. Polite enough," mused Hillard, "but hanged if it sounds proper."

To the deuce with propriety!" cried Merrihew buoyantly. "We'll start to-

on the Campo, which lay patched with black shadows and moonshine. How still at night was this taily city in the seal There were no horses clattering over the stone pavements, no trains, no omnibuses. The stillness which was of peace lay over all things. And some of this had entered Kitty's heart.

But for one thing the hour would have been perfect. Kitty, ordinarily

brave and cheerful, was very lonesome and homesick. The dismal failure of it all! She had danced, sung, spoken her lines the very best she knew how, and none had noticed or encouraged her. It was a bitter cup after all the suc-cess at home. If only she could take it philosophically like La Signorina!

philosophically like La Signorina:
And there were so many things she could not understand. Why should La Signorina always go velled? Where did she disappear so mysteriously in the daytime? And those sapphires and diamonds and emerades? Why live here with such effectives beginning. here with such a fortune hanging

here with such a fortune hanging round her neck?

"Kitty?" The voice came from the doorway. Kitty was startled for a moment, but it was only La Signorias. Kitty furtively wiped her eyes.

"I am over here by the window. The moon was so bright I did not light the large."

La Signorina moved with light step to the window, bent and caught Kitty's face between her hands and turned it firmly toward the moon.
"You have been crying, cara!"

"I am very lonely," said Kitty.
"You poor little homeless bird!" La

Signorina seized Kitty impulsively in her arms. "If I were not"— She hesi-"If you were not?"

"If I were not poor, but rich instead, I'd take you to one of the fashionable hotels. You are out of place here in this rambling old ruin."
"Not half so much as you are," Kit-

comfortably in the fields with the peasants, in cities in extravagant ho-tels. My mind is always at one height. Where the body is does not matter

There was a subtle hauteur in the voice. It subdued Kitty's inquisitive-

final tear-"sometimes I am afraid of

"And wisely. I am often afraid of myself. I always do the first thing that enters my head, and generally it



A good stroke sent the gondola up the canal. is the wrong thing. Never mind. The old woman here will trust us for some weeks yet." She leaned from the window and called, "Pomp-eo!"

From the canal the gondoller an-

"Now then!" said the woman to the

Kitty threw a heavy shawl over her

head and shoulders, while the other wound about her face the now famildown into the Campo to the landing.

Pompeo threw away his cigarette and doffed his hat. He offered his el-

boarded, and once they were seated a good stroke sent the gondola up the canal. Under bridges they passed. They glided by little restaurants where Venetians in olden days talked liberty for themselves and death to the Austrians, and at length they came out upon the Grand canal where the Rialto curves its ancient blocks of

Rialto curves its ancient blocks of marble.

"There! This is better."

"It is always better when you are with me," said Kitty.

For years Kitty had fought her battles alone, independent and resourceful, and yet here she was leaning upon the strong will of this remarkable woman, and gratefully too.

"Now, my dear Kitty, we'll just enjoy ourselves tonight, and on our return I shall lay a plan before you, and tomorrow you may submit it to the

"Then the announcement cards, a tomorrow you may submit it to the

"What a beautiful palacel" Kitty cried presently, pointing to a house not far from the house of Petrarch. The moon poured broadly upon it. The gondola posts stood like sleeping sentinels, and the tide murmured over the steps.

Pompeo, seeing Kitty's gesture, swung the gondola diagonally across the canal.

"No, no, Pompeo!" La Signorina spoke in Italian. "I have told you never to go near that house without express orders. Straight ahead."
"Who lives there?" asked Kitty.
"Nobody," answered La Signorina,

"though once it was the palace of a great warrior. How picturesque the gondolas look, with their dancing double lights!"

"The old palace interests me more than the gondoins," declared Kitty, But La Signorina was not to be trapped. From the Grand canal they came out

There was a smile behind the veti. "I do not know unless it is that you are at home everywhere, in the Campo, in the hotels, in the theater or the palace. Now, I am at home only in the theater, in places which are unreal and artificial. You are a great actress, a great singer, and yet, as O'Maily would say, you don't belong." Kitty had forgotten what she had started out

La Signorina laughed. "Pouf! You have been reading too many novels. To the molo, Pompeo."

At the molo, the great quay of Venice, they disembarked. The whilem orima donna dropped 50 centesimi into Pompeo's palm, and he bowed to the very gunwale of the boat.

"Grazie, nobilita."

"What does he say?" asked Kitty.

"He says 'Thanks, nobility.' If I had given him a penny it would have been thanks only. For a lira he would have added principessu—princess. The gondolier will give you any title you desire if you are willing enough to pay for it."

The Plazza Sab Marco, or St. Mark, is the meca of those in search of beauty. Here they may lay the sacred carpet, kneet and worship. There is none other to compare with this mighty square, with its enchanting splendor, its naunting romance, its brilliant if pathetic history.

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in the square tonight, mostly travelers The band was playing selections from Audran's whimsical "La Mascotte." Audran's whimsical "La Mascotte." The tables of the many cafes were filled, and hundreds walked to and fro under the bright arcades or stopped to

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The two women saw no vacant ta-bles at Florian's, but presently they espled the other derelicts — O'Mally, Smith and Worth—who managed to

Smith and Worth—who managed to find two extra chairs.

Through her veil their former prima donna studied them carefully, with a purpose in mind. The only one she doubted was Worth. Somehow he annoyed her. She could not explain, yet still the sense of annoyance was always there.

"Gentlemen." she said during a luli. "I have a plan to propose to you all."
"If it will get us back to old Broadlet us have it at once," said

is simple. They say that a gambler always wins the first time he plays. I propose that each of you will spare me what money you can, and Kitty and I will go to Monte Carlo and take

"Monte Carlo" O'Maily brought down his fist resoundingly. "That's a good idea. If you should break the bank think of the advertisement when

bank think of the advertisement when you go back to New York."
"Be still," said Worth.
"Dash it, business is business, and without publicity there isn't any business." O'Maily was hurt.
"Mr. O'Maily is right," said La Signorina. "It would be a good advertisement. But your combined opinion is what I want."

The three men looked at one another thoughtfully, then drew out their wal-lets, thin and worn. They made up a purse of exactly \$150, not at all a propitions sum. But, such as it was, O'Mally passed it across the table. This utter confidence in her touched La Signorina's heart. She turned aside for a moment and fumbled with the hidden chain about her neck. She the bidden chain about her neck. She placed her hand on the table and opened it. O'Mally gasped. An emerald—a glorious green emerald—lay in the palm of her hand.

"I shall give this to you, Mr. O'Maily," said the owner, "till I return. It is very dear to me, but that must not stand in the was."

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"Ye gods!" cried O'Mally in dismay. "Ye gods!" cried O'Maily in dismay.
"Put it away. I shouldn't sleep o'
nights with that on my person. Keep
it. We'll trust you anywhere this side
of jail. But you're a brick, all the
same." And that was as near familiarity as O'Maily ever came.

She turned to Smith, but he put out
a hand in violent protest; then to
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Worth, but he smiled and shook his

She put the ring away. It was her mother's. She never would smile scornfully in secret at these men

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"You let me alone," replied O'Maily, "A quart of Asti won't burt anybody." Early the next morning she and Kitty departed for Monte Carlo in quest of fortune. Fortune was there, waiting, but in a guise wholly unexpected.

(To be continued.)

For Heavy Eaters.

Domestic science seems to be coming to its own in the schools and colleges, but still some big husky men express a preference for the "old-fashioned home cooking." And it's incidents like the following that make them poke fun at the new order in cooking: In a Western Ontario city a girl who was giving the city its first taste of domestic science teaching was very enthusiastic over her work in the schools. One evening she said to the group about the boarding-house table, "Usually I give the children half an egg each for cooking purposes. To-day I had only half the usual supply, but the children made the cutest little quarter-egg omelettes you could wish to see."

Missed Their Object.

Some of our sports proceeded to Claybanks last Friday with just one object in view, namely to slay a bear. However, the object did not come into view and they returned with one partridge. Never mind, boys, another week will bring a better report we feel sure.—Wiarton Echo.

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### **LEGISLATORS**

ONTARIO'S EARLY LAW-MAKERS HAD NO EASY TASK.

Detroit Was Represented In the First Upper Canada Parliament - First Bye-Election Was Because Quaker Refused Oath of Office - Marriage Relation and Negro Slavery Were the Big Problems.

It was at Kingston that John Graves Simcoe, the first Lieutenant-Governor of Upper Canada, in the early part of the summer of 1792 organized the first Government of that province. From his temporary offices in a small, low dwelling-house on Queen street, Toronto, and wnich is still standing, Simcoe appointed his legislative councillors and selected the members of his Executive Council or Cabinet, cillors and selected the members of his Executive Council or Cabinet, divided the province into electoral districts, which were to return the members of the House of Assembly, and issued the proclamation calling the elections.

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The proclamation was printed in Montreal by Fleury Mesplet, who was the first printer in this part of Canada, having been brought to Montreal from Philadelphia in 1776 by Benjamin Franklin, when he came with the two other commissioners from Congress to win the Canadians to the side of the Revolution.

Having failed in their mission the commissioners returned home, but their printer, Fleury Mesplet, remained, and sixteen years later he is found printing royal proclamations for Simcoe, calling upon the pioneer yeomen of Upper Canada to choose their representatives in the first Legislative Assembly of that province.

In due time the elections were held, when sixteen members were returned—the full number provided by the Constitutional Act. It is a fact worthy of note that a man na def Francis Baby was returned to this first Parilament as the representative of the Detroit district, "that port and settlement having not then passed from under British control." One memberelect was not seated—Philip Dorla do Prince Edward and Adolphustown, who, being a Quaker, refused to take the oath of folice.

A new election—the first bye-election in Canada—was held, at which Peter Van Alstine was returned.

On Sept. 17, 7192, this first Legislature of Upper Canada assembled at Newark—the Niagara of to-day—in the Freemasons' Hall. At noon, Simone, accompanied by a guard of honor, came down to the Hall, attended by as much pomp as the frontier capital could supply, and read the speech

oce, accompanied by a guard of honor, came down to the Hall, attended by as much pomp as the frontier capital could supply, and read the speech from the fact alone that it was "the first utterance of a British governor assembled under a free constitution."

These early Upper Canadian legislators did not daily over their work, for the first session lasted barely a month, the Houses being prorogued on Obtober 15. Eight acts were passed and assented to by Simcoe in the King's name. They established trial by jury, fixed the toll for milling at one-twelfth, substituted British law for the ancient laws of Canada, and made provision for a court-house in each of the four judicial districts into which the province was divided.

With respect to one matter a clash occurred between the two branches of the Legislature, the cause, as might be expected, being that every prolific source of trouble for governments and parliaments—taxation. The Assembly passed a measure to tax wines and spirits, but it was thrown out by the Council.

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On the other hand, the Assembly viewed with disfavor a proposal to tax land.

The second session, which was held in the Barracks or Navy Hall, a long, low wooden building which is still standing, was devoted to several very important and pressing matters, and the manner in which they were dealt with is proof of the industry, breadth of view, and high sense of public duty possessed by these early legislators.

The most serious question of the day to the settlers was that of the marriage relation. During the early years of the settlers was that of the marriage relation. During the early years of montreal, and the marriage ceremony had been performed by millitary officers in command of posts, and later by justices of the peace. A carefully prepared report on the matter had been drawn up by the Hon. Richard Cartwright, ir., a member of the Legislative Council, and the grandfather of Sir Richard Cartwright of to-day.

The report found "that the marriages of the generality of the inhabitants of Upper Canada are not valid in law." By an act passed during the second session these marriages, contracted irregularly and without a

#### ONTARIO'S GAS WELLS.

They Are a Source of Great Revenue to Farmers Along Lake Erie.

A man driving along the shore of Lake Erie, in that somewhat inaccess ible region adjacent to Selkirk in Hal-dimand County, comes upon some ob-jects set out in the lake that suggest

defences against some future foreign invader. One's mind turns at once to Fenian raids and perhaps to a query whether defences of this sort are not contrary to the provisions of the Rush-Bagot treaty. The apparent defences are concrete arrangements with recesses on the land side and a circular front sloping toward the top, facing Uncle Sam's country. A series of pipes and valves adds to the mystery. Inquiry, however, shows that the "round towers" are no more nor less that the covers of natural gas wells sunk in Lake Erie to secure the precious fuel and lighting material for large Canadian cities and towns many miles away. The fields hereabouts are studded with wells from which the farmers often reap large rentals, but the four competing companies were not content with land operations and last winter began boring under Lake Erie. They met with the same success as on land, and at a depth of about 800 feet secured a good flow, though naturally varying in different wells.

The drilling operations for the wells farthest in the lake were carried on during the winter, with the apparatus standing on the ice, for Lake Erie, being shallow, is frozen for some distance out during the cold weather. The workmen found it a cold job, for the winds that swept over the ice fields did not suggest proximity to any banana belt. Since then the operations have been extended and several lake wells are now being sunk. The gas companies believe they will find oil by drilling still deeper; and latar on it is proposed to make the experiment. The proximity of this gas supply most of the farmhouses are lighted from the wells, though the great bulk of the gas is piped to Hamilton. Brantlord, Paris and Galt. The roadsides are seamed with the pipes of the competing companies, until one would think he were in a city too young to perfect its public services. Most of the houses are old and weather-stain ed from a half century's storms from tumultuous Lake Erie. Gas lighting and fuel, pianos and top luggies now signal the arrival of a happier day.

Improving the Quality of Seeds.
Recent bluebook reports show the result of a test made last year by the Seed Commissioner's Branch of the Department of Agriculture of seed corn, field root, and garden seeds sold in Canada. As everyone knows, most garden seeds are sold in sealed envelopes, and hitherto there has been no guarantee to the purchaser of the percentage of these seeds that would terminate. The inspectors who enforce the Seed Control Act bought 2,527 samples of seed exposed for sale by retailers and wholesalers all over Canada, and these were sent to the Seed Laboratory for testing, with the results already mentioned. The Seed Control Act sets up a standard that certain classes of seeds offered for sale must be capable of germinating in the proportion of at least two-thirds of the standard recognized for good seed of the kind. If the seed comes below this standard, the package must be marked according to the percentage of germination, so that the buyer may know for what he is paying. The value of this act to the agriculturist is obvious. The act furthermore provides that seedsmen and dealers may be prosecuted for not complying with its requirements. A further test was made last May in which 752 samples of garden see.is were examination shows that about 11 per cent. were below the standard. This is an improvement of 7 per cent. over last year's lest, and shows that the Seed Control the control contr Improving the Quality of Seeds.

ment of 7 per cent. over last year's test, and shows that the Seed Con-trol Act has commenced its beneficent J. K. Cornwall's Literary Tours.

J. K. Cornwall, M.P.P., evidently had pleasant and congenial fraternization with the bunch of newspaper men to whom he gave a free trip through the Peace River country this summer. He announces that he is going to take another literary coterious the last four was an eye-opener. They tramped through muskegs, kicked up mineals with their tail boots, put their salary checks in town lots where as yet there are no towns, and admired the scenery. The Arctic legislator is in high glee. Lately, he has been seen and the swere given recreated, and as were given government. The seen seen the last with the stall pools, put the scenery. The Arctic legislator is in high glee. Lately, he has been seen seen admired the seen which will be seen the seen with the same of this seen of the seen with the summer as were given to strike into the mining and which the party this summer saw for the most part. Here is the route: The quill men will flap down the Athabaska in "flats" to Fort McMurray, jumping a few rapids on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way, and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, on the way and proceed to within four hundred miles of Fort Churchill, Mr. Cornwall's Literary Tours.

An Honest Caller.

A woman with no great supply of tact recently called on an acquaintance in a small Ontario town. The latter was surprised to see her, as they were on the most formal terms, and the call was somewhat superfluous. As the caller was departing she remarked:

"I've enjoyed this little chat so much. I never would have dreamed of coming, only my husband is thinking of running for mayor next Jandary.

#### TEACHERS WANT TO COME.

Many British Instructors Are Looking Towards Canada.

Obed Smith, the Dominion Emigration Commissioner in London, say that the pressure upon the correspon dence department is so great-though dence department is so great—though it is the winter season—that he has had to take additional office room near his headquarters in Charing Cross.

From Scotland we hear that 30,000 of the very best type of agricultural laborers are expected to go to Canada next year, and traveling lecturers and officials of the Commonwealth as well as of the Dominion are busy urging the claims of their respective areas. The Outlook in alluding to this matter says:

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The latest statistics of Canadian immigration will be disquieting to anyone who has faith in a genuine revival of British agriculture. Scot land, especially, is being drained of all the best elements in its rural population. Formerly the man who could not get on at home drifted to the colonies in search of a situation. Now it is the small farmer with capital who is seizing the wider opportunity for investment offered by the Dominion."

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There is a volume of enquiry through the educational departments in London from school teachers who are dissatisfied with their prospects here, and who want to ascertain just how far they would be welcomed in Canada, and to what extent their certificates will be recognized. It is estimated that to produce a teacher costs the state \$1,000 at least, and as there is a dearth of teachers in Canada, the argument is made that the Dominion would be making a good bar gain even if it had to pay the fares of the English teachers, many of whom are in poor circumstances.

The statement of a Toronto paper, reprinted in London papers that teachers are starving in England, while Ontario needs them, and that the London staff of the Ontario Government might find useful occupation in striking the balance has occasioned comment, and resulted in many eneral of the province declares that he has no power to assist teachers in this direction, and that the policy of the Government was clearly defined by Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education, when he was in London last August.

The Small Boy Twice More.

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Alert and up-to-date is the modern small boy, as the following illustra-tions will show. They happened in Clinton Street Methodist Church, To-ronto, a couple of Sundays ago, in the course of Sunday School anniversary

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Rev. J. D. Morrow, former charpin sprinter of Canada, and noted in Toronto as a motor cycle speeder, was preaching to the children at the morning service. He was telling them about the usefulness of the various members of their bodies. Finally he spoke of the hands. "What can you use your hands for?" he queried. There were various answers, but the one that tickled Mr. Morrow most was from a boy in the back row—"To run your motor cycle."

In the mind of the public the picture conjured up of Mr. Morrow is that of a dark spot with long hair streaming behind, scorching down street on a motor cycle, and everybody joined in the laugh.

The other incident served to show that the Sunday School boy had been keeping a weather eye on the theatre posters advertising the coming to Toronto of a man who is featured as a leading magician.

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Rev. A. P. Brace was the preacher. With the aid of a bottle of clear water he sought to show the kiddies the evil effect of sin on their bodies. He held up a bottle of black ink. That typified sin. A few drops of ink soon turned the clear water into a foul looking mixture. Then he produced a little phial with some chemical in it. He explained that sin could be washed away, and he poured in the chemied away, and he poured in the chemi-cal. At once the water turned clear

cal. At once the water turned clear again.

The children were mightily interest-ed. It seemed to them a neat trick, and from the same rear row came the clear call of an appreciative young soul— "Oh, you Thurston!"

The Peacemaker.

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Glen Campbell, the six-footer from Dauphin, who strolls about the precincts in a cowboy sombrero, and even wears it in the Chamber, played the unusual role recently of a peacemaker. The man who beat Clifford Sifton's brother-in-law after one of the fiercest fights in the campaign of 1908, was walking down the main lobby outside the Chamber, when he saw a little knot of excited French-Canadian members shaking their fists at one another and all talking at once. The

What Kind of a Time Did He Have?

In the Montreal City Hall, or Hotel de Ville, whichever you like to call it, is a book in which visitors are requested to inscribe their names. There is a column for the home address, and one for remarks. Very few have anything which they care to record under this last head, but one visitor from New Brunswick felt different. In a bold hand he wrote: "Had a hof a time."

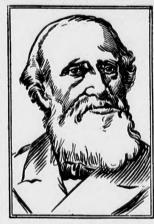
Owing to the vagaries of the English language, the City Hall employes are still wondering if the Maritime Province man was pleased or displeased with his visit.

### FOUNDED THE Y.M.C.A.

BIR GEORGE WILLIAMS WAS FOR-MERLY A DRAPER'S CLERK.

In His Efforts to Improve the Condition of the Young Men With Whom He Worked He Conceived the Idea of the Young Men's Christian Association-Was Knighted by Queen

The origin of the Y. M. C. A. is unknown to many people in Canada. The history of the beginning is the history of the efforts of a young man in a drapery shop in London to better the condition of the other young men in the establishment where he



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was employed and in other similar shops throughout the city.

George Williams, upon whom the title of knighthood was later conferred by Queen Victoria for his great service to young men, was the founder. He began his life's work among his associates when an apprentice in a drapery establishment in Bridgewater, England. Later he went to London, where he entered the employ of the firm of George Hitchcock & Co. There he organized several of the young men of the establishment into a little band that held meetings in the sleeping-rooms of the apprentices and junior clerks.

Later Mr. Hitchcock became an ardent supporter and a room was given them by the firm in which to hold the meetings. On the evening of June 6, 1844, twelve men met, under the leadership of George Williams, in this room to consider the project of forming a "society for improving the spiritual conditions of young men engaged in the drapery and other trades." This was the starting of the Y. M. C. A.

Fat Wives.

The people in portions of Africa have many curious customs and superstitions, and among the former may be mentioned the fashion of having fat wives.

Being introduced to a great chief's wite, Speke thus described her:—

"I was struck with the extraordinary dimensions of the fat fair one. She could not rise, and so large were her arms that the flesh between the joints hung down. The chief, pointing to his wife, said:—

"This is the product of our milk-pots; from early youth upward we keep these pots to their mouths, as it is the fashion at court to have very fat wives."

"A sister-in-law of the king was a perfect wonder of hypertropny. She was unable to stand except on all fours.

"I unblushingly requested permission to measure her. This is the result: Round the arm, 23 inches; chest, 52 inches; thigh, 31 inches; calf, 20 inches; height, 5 feet 8 inches.

"All of these are exact except the height, and I believe I could have obtained this more accurately if I could have laid her on the floor. Not knowing what difficulties I should have to contend with in such a piece of engineering, I tried to get her height by raising her up.

"This, after infinite exertions on the part of us both, was accomplished, when she sank down again fainting, for the blood had rushed into her head.

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knot of excited French-Canadian members shaking their fists at one another and all talking at once. The famous battle of Arthabaska was being fought once more, and Glen thought it was time to take a hand in the proceedings himself. So he pushed his way between the belligerents, and with a cheery "Come, come boys, none of that," he rounded them all up, and with the ringleaders on each arm made his way to the elevator which carries many a human freight daily and nightly to the emporium under the roof, where the clink of lee in long thin glasses, all stamped with the Parllamentary crest, can be heard. And by the time the little party broke up, these gallant Frenchmen were weeping on each others shoulders for the very joy of reconciliation. The next day in the House they were at it again as hard as ever.

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Cost of Orippen Case.

A police estimate of the cost of the proceedings in the Crippen case is \$12,500. The telegraphic output, on the authority of the postoffice, was second only to that of the Monson trial in the Ardlamant case, in Scotland. The cablegrams to the United States papers exceeded those of any previous murder trial.

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